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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Takuya KADOTA, Hidehiro TAKANO and Rie MIYAZAKI
 TONER AND IMAGE-FORMING APPARATUS USING THE SAME
Assignee: SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION
 Our Ref. Q80153

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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising ninety-nine (99) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and three (3) sheet(s) of drawings. **Copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>12</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=		x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$0.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>2</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=		x	\$86.00	=	<u>\$0.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$770.00</u>
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee									<u>\$290.00</u>
TOTAL FEE									<u>\$1060.00</u>

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1060.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2003-053831	February 28, 2003
Japan	2003-053832	February 28, 2003

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,
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